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Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Previously Presented) An electrode for a plasma display panel, comprising:

a plurality of bus line conductors having a first width; and

a plurality of non-circular pads, each of the pads having a first section having a maximum width that is greater than the first width, each of the pads having a second section that is narrower than the maximum width, the second section of each of the pads intersecting a corresponding one of the bus line conductors.
2. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section of each of the pads has a gradually increasing width.
3. (Cancelled)
4. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section comprises a curved profile.
5. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section comprises a tapered profile.

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6. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section comprises a straight tapered profile.

7. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section comprises a gradually increasing line width.

8. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section comprises an abruptly increased line width.

9. (Currently Amended) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section comprises a first tapered profile[;] and a second tapered profile.

10. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the second section comprises a pointed profile.

11. (Canceled)

12. (Previously Presented) The electrode of claim 1, wherein the first section comprises a straight profile.

13-20. (Canceled)